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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, PO

SUBJ: PARATROOP MUTINY: SITREP NO. TWENTY NINE

PPD POLITICAL COMMITTEE SOURCE GAVE EMBOFF FOLLOWING COMMENTS
ON SITUATION AS OF 1:30 P.M.:

-- LEFTIST FORCES AT RALIS ANNOUNCED OVER LOUDSPEAKER BEFORE
SURRENDERING THAT CPT. DURAN CLEMENTE HAS BEEN CAPTURED.

-- SOUTHERN REGION COMMANDER PEZARAT CORREIA HAS GIVEN ULTIMATUM
TO MONTIJO AIR BASE TO SURRENDER. PEZARAT CORREIA MET EARLIER
THIS MORNING WITH SOCIALISTS AND POPULAR DEMOCRATS IN
EVORA TO DISCUSS POSSIBLE MOBILIZATION OF PARTY SUPPORTERS.

-- PPD SOURCE IN BELEM CONFIRMED THAT FAR LEFTIST MAJ. DINIS DE
ALMEIDA IS IN PRISON IN BELEM.

-- PPD IS MOBILIZING ITS MEMBERS TO PREVENT PARATROOPS FROM TANCOS
FROM OBTAINING REFUGE WITH FRIENDLY MILITARY UNITS.

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-- PPD YOUTH COMMITTEE HAS ISSUED COMMUNIQUE BLAMING
UPRISING ON FASCISTS, "SOCIAL FASCISTS" (COMMUNISTS),
AND PSEUDO LEFT, AND CALLING PCP ATTACK ON AZEVEDO GOVERNMENT
PART OF PLOT TO TAKE GOVERNMENT BY FORCE.
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